## NOTICE INVITING SEALED PROPOSALS OR BIDS

for the

## Pavement Overlay and Road Reconstruction Project 2005

The City Council of the City of Hollister invites sealed proposals or bids for the Pavement Overlay and Road Reconstruction 2005 Project.

This project involves removal and installation of asphalt concrete and base; removal and installation of concrete curbs, gutter, sidewalks, driveways and landscape concrete; pavement grinding; asphalt concrete overlays; striping and pavement marking, and other related work as described within the contract specifications and drawings.

All of said work is to be done at the places and in the particular locations, of the forms, sizes and dimensions and of the materials and to the lines and as shown and delineated upon the plans, and specifications made therefore and preliminarily approved by said Council.

The Contractor shall possess a class A license at the time this contract is awarded. Payments will be made in cash by said City to the Contractor in accordance with the provisions of the specifications and on itemized estimates duly certified and approved by the City Engineer of said City submitted in accordance therewith, based on labor and materials incorporated into said work during the preceding month by the contractor.

Notice is hereby given that for any moneys earned by the contractor and withheld by the City to ensure performance of the contract, the contractor may, at his request and expense, substitute securities equivalent to the amount withheld in the form and manner and subject to the conditions provided in Chapter 13 (commencing with Section 4590), Division 5, Title 1 of the Government Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby further given that, pursuant to Section 1773 of the Labor Code of the State of California, the City has obtained from the Director of Industrial Relations the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and the general prevailing rate for holidays and overtime work for each craft, classification, or type of workman required to execute the contract. A copy of said prevailing rate of per diem wages is on file in the office of the City Clerk, to which reference is hereby made for further particulars. Said prevailing rate of per diem wages will be made available to any interested party upon request, and a copy thereof shall be posted at the job site.

All proposals or bids shall be accompanied by cash, cashier's or certified check payable to the order of the City Council of the City of Hollister, amounting to ten percent (10%) of the bid, or by a bond in said amount and payable to said Clerk signed by the bidder and a corporate surety, or by the bidder and two sureties who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double said amount and over and above all statutory exemptions. The amount so posted shall be forfeited to said City in case the bidder depositing the same does not, within ten (10) days after written notice that the contract has been awarded to him, enter into a contract with the City. All certified or cashiers checks will be deposited pending award of contract. Return of deposited certified or cashiers checks will take approximately 30 days from award of contract.

Contractor shall furnish to City a faithful performance bond and labor and material bond as required in said specifications.

Said sealed proposals shall be delivered to the City Clerk of the City of Hollister, 375 Fifth Street, Hollister, California, 95023, on or before 2:00 p.m. local time, on September 27, 2006, said time being at

least ten (10) days from the first publication of this notice. Bids will be publicly opened, examined and declared on said day and hour and referred to and considered by the City Council within sixty (60) calendar days from said bid opening date. A pre-bid conference will not be held.

The complete bid package, drawings, specifications, and addendum will be issued ELECTRONICALLY and are available for free by downloading the bidding documents at <a href="http://www.hollister.ca.gov/Site/html/openbid.asp">http://www.hollister.ca.gov/Site/html/openbid.asp</a>. Plan holders must register before they can view or purchase the bid package.

After registering at the City's website as a plan holder a free CD will be mailed to the registered plan holder within 3 days. The downloaded electronic files or the electronic CD can be used to print full or half size drawings, specifications, and other documents at any printing company.

<u>/s/ Geri Johnson</u> Dated: <u>September 5, 2006</u>

Geri Johnson

City Clerk of the City of Hollister Publish: <u>September 9, 2006 and September 15, 2006</u>